FISCAL NOTE

SB 1712 - HB 2131

February 27, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires closings for all loans for residential real property to be held in the office of the lender or the lender's agent. Limits the period for a prepayment penalty to no longer than 24 months after the date of the consummation of a loan of \$100,000 or less for home improvements to an owner-occupied residence. Violations are punishable through civil penalties.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenues – Not Significant Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- Any increase in state revenues from the collection of civil penalties will be not significant.
- Any increase in state expenditures to implement and enforce the provisions of this bill will be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director